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[Despatch Abstract.]

To

His Excellency
The Governor of Madras
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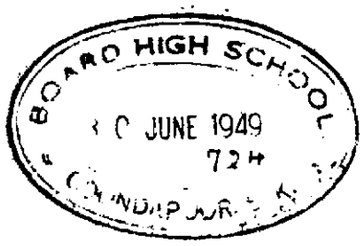

Through
The Headmaster
Board High School
Coondapoor, South Kanara
And The Special Officer,
South Kanara District Board,
Mangalore.

Humble Memorial from P. P. Karanth
Hindi Pandit, Board High School,
Coondapoor, South Kanara.

Sir,

Sub: Establishment - Local Bodies - Secondary Education - Hindi Pandits - Pay Revision - Retrospective effect from 1.1.47 - Requested.

ef: (i) Govt. Memorandum No.32481-B1-49-1 Edu. dated 16.5.49.
(ii) Govt. Memorandum No.88174-B1-48-1 Edu. dated 21-12.48.
(iii) G.O.No.996 Edu. Dated 5.4.49.

With reference to the above I beg to represent as follows :-

1. In the Government Memorandum quoted in (i) above, I am informed that my pay as on par with the Pandits of other languages will be refixed as sanctioned in G.O.No.996 Edu. dated 5.4.49 with effect from 1.1.49 only, thereby denying me retrospective effect from 1.1.47.

2. Normally, my pay should have been fixed in the scale of 60- 4 - 100 ~~12~~- 5 - 130 from 1.1.47 as per G.O.No.975 Edu. dated 10.5.47 and in the scale of 75 - 5 - 145 from 1.1.48 as per G.O.No.526 Edu. dated 15.3.48, as I am a Language Pandit appointed to teach Hindi in forms IV to VI aggreeable to rule 13 of M.E.Rules and the scale of pay fixed to me in the pre-revision period was the same as that allowed to Pandits in other languages. But due to the misconception that the status of Hindi Pandits and Hindustani Teachers is the same (though the former was on the scale of pay of 45-2/2-75 and the latter 30-2/2-50) my pay along with other two Hindi Pandits was left unrevised and deferred for further clarification by the Government. The Governmen

in their memo quoted in (ii) above, ordered that pending the issue of final order my scale of pay might be revised with reference to the scale allowed to Hindustani Teachers as per G.O.No.1154 Edu. dated 5.6.47; but in the final order in memo quoted in (i) above, my claim for parity with Pandits in other languages is conceded from 1.1.49 only and the claim for the intervening two years from '47 to '48 end is overlooked.

3. This disparity in giving effect is made on the plea that the revision that is ordered in the G.O.No.996 Edu. dated 5.4.49 is only a further revision of scale of pay of Hindustani Teachers sanctioned in G.O.No.1154 Edu. dated 5.6.47. In this connection I beg to point out that the pay revision sanctioned in G.O.No.1154 Edu dated 5.6.47 was not applied to Hindi Pandits serving on the scale 30-2/2-50 since it was thought at that time that it was applicable to Hindustani Teachers only serving on the scale of pay 30-2/2-50. So, while the Hindustani Teachers on 30-2/2-50 got a revision of scale from 1.1.47 like all other incumbents, the Hindi Pandits on 45-2/2-75 alone had no revision till 1.1.49. Hence my claim for retrospective effect from 1.1.47.

4. Again, this discrimination in giving effect has been made on the plea that Hindi Pandits have been excluded from the scope of Pandits in other languages and classed with Hindustani Teachers, and so they are eligible to the scale of pay sanctioned to Hindustani Teachers only, but while revising the scale of pay of Pandits and Munshis, nowhere in the G.O. No.975 Edu. dated 10.5.47 or G.O.No. 526 Edu dated 15.3.48 or G.O.No.1154 Edu dated 5.6.47 it is explicitly stated that Hindi Pandits have been excluded from the scope of Pandits in other languages. Even the District Boards regarded Hindi Pandits different from Hindustani Teachers and deferred their pay revision hoping the Government would permit the application of the scale

of pay sanctioned to Pandits in other Languages. I too preferred to continue in the District Board service, in spite of tempting offers from private High Schools, hoping that justice would be done to me in due course.

(2) 5. In the G.O. quoted in (iii) above, it is stated that prior to the introduction of the revised scale of pay from 1.1.47 Hindustani Teachers (presumably Hindi Pandits) were placed on a par with Pandits in other languages. Further it is stated that they will be placed on a par with Pandits in other languages from 1.1.49, as the nature of the work they do and the qualifications they possess are same. According to this, I was eligible for parity with Pandits in other languages prior to 1947, and will be eligible from 1.1.49, and not eligible only during the intervening period of 2 years, though the work I have been doing and the qualifications I possess all the while are the same.

6. I represented that this anomaly be rectified first to the Special Officer District Board, next to the Secretary to the Government, Education and Public Health Dept, and also the Director of Public Instruction Madras. But, my contention has been rejected and the arrears from 1.1.47 to 31.12.48 refused. Hence, I prefer this humble memorial to His Excellency the Governor hoping justice will be done to me.

I pray that my appeal may kindly be heard and early order issued to the effect that my claim to parity with Pandits in other languages be conceded from 1.1.47 itself and the arrears of differential pay allowed to me.

I beg to remain,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

K. S. Karkal
HINDI PANDIT

Coondapoor,
27th June 1949.

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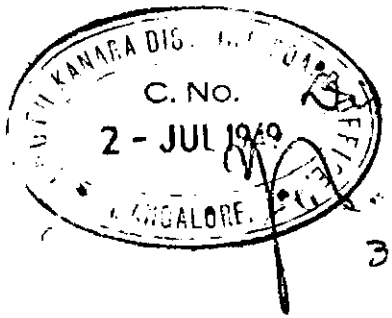

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Establishment - District Board South Kanara- Karant Sri P.P. Hindustani teacher Board High school coondapur-Fixation of pay in the revised scale with retrospective effect and grant of arrears of pay - Memorial - Rejected.

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pp 1-3 cl Memorial from Sri P.P. Karant Hindustani teacher Board High school Coondapur dated 27-6-49

5 cl From the S.O. District Board South Kanara No 1596/49 dated 27-7-49

6 cl From the D.P.I. R.C.No 502 G2/49 dated 10-8-49

Order No 486 Education dated 16.2.50
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The memorial is rejected. The P.D.B. South Kanara is requested to inform the memorialist accordingly.

To

The P.D.B. South Kanara
,, D.P.I.

Education and Public Health Dept
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6173B/49 Memorial - Sri P.P.Karant - Hindustani teacher, Board High school, Coondapur - Request for fixation of pay in the revised scale ~~of pay~~ with retrospective effect (from 1-1-47) and grant of arrears of pay

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pp1-3 cf Memorial from Sri P.P. Karant, Hindustani Teacher, Board High school, Coondapur, dated 27-6-49.

p5 cf From the S.O. Dt Bd, South Kanara, No 15696/49 dated 27-7-49.

p6 cf From the D.P.I. R.C. No 502 G2/49 dated 10-8-49.

Please see the memorial from Sri P.P. Karant, Hindustani teacher, Board High school, Coondapur, against the orders of Govt in Memo No 32482 B1/49-1 Edn dated 16-5-49 in regard to the fixation of his pay in the revised scale sanctioned in G.O. 996 Education dated 5-4-49.

2. The facts of the case are briefly as follows:- Prior to the introduction of the revised scales of pay from 1-1-47, the scales of pay for Hindustani teachers corresponded to those for pandits in other languages . The memorialist was drawing pay in the scale of Rs 45-2/2-75 admissible to oriental title holders. When the scales of pay were revised in 1947, Hindustani teachers were treated differntly from pandits in other languages as shown below:-

Hindustani teachers		Pandits in other languages	
Old scales	Revised scales	Old scales	Revised scales
Rs 45-2/2-75	Rs 60-2-90 (F)	Rs 45-2/2-75	Rs 60-4-100 for existing incumbents Rs 60-4-100-5-130 for new entrants.
Rs 30-2/2-50	Rs 40-1½-70	Rs 30-2/2-50	Rs 40-1-60 for existing incumbents Rs 40-1½-70 for new entrants

(4) 3 The memorialist contended that Hindi Pandits who possessed an oriental title prescribed in Rule 13 of the M.E.R. and who were appointed for the teaching of Hindustani as an optional subject for the S.S.L.C. in the higher forms of high schools should be distinguished from Hindustani teachers who were employed for teaching in the lower forms with refernce to G.O. (5) No 1394 Education dated 17-6-38 and that the former should be

equated with pandits in other languages and allowed the benefits of the revised scales of pay fixed for them. The petitioner was informed in Memo No 38174 B1/48-1Edn dated 21-12-48 that his contention was untenable and that he was entitled only to the scale of pay of Rs 50-2-~~2~~-90 fixed in G.O. No 1154 Edn dated 5-6-47 with effect from 1-1-47 (It may be noted that the expression 'Hindi teachers' and Hindi pandits' were used in previous orders without any distinction and that scales of pay varied according to qualifications only)

4 The memorialist again petitioned to Govt that his case should be treated on a par with pandits in pther languages and that he might be granted the revised scales pf pay sanctioned for them with effect from 1-1-47. The request was negatived in Memo No 32482 B1/49-1 Education dated 16-5-49 and the S.O, Dt Bd, South Kanara, was asked to refix the pay of the memorialist in the scales of pay sanctione in G.O. No 996 Edn dated 5-4-49 with effect from 1-1-49.

5 The teacher has now submitted a memorial to H.E. the Governor against those orders. He has requested that the pay as refixed from 1-1-49 may be given retrospective effect from 1-1-47 and that arrears of pay may be allowed.

6 Servants of local bodies have no right of memorial to His Excellency the Governor. The procedure prescribed in Instruction 115 of the Sectt Instructions is applicable only to Govt servants and need not be followed in this case.

7 The question whether the revised scales of pay sanctioned in G .O. No 996 Edn dated 5-4-49 should be given retrospective effect from 1-1-48 as in the case of pandits in other languages was considered and decided by the Cabinet that it should take effect from 1-1-49 only. The memorialist has already represented his case to Govt and no new grounds have been urged for a reconsideration of the orders already passed. The memorial ~~xxxx

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This dept may also agree that the position set out in para 6 on p 2 above is correct. The file may be returned to E&PH

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notes from page 1 ante may be perused. For orders whether in the circumstances stated in para 7 on page 2 ante, the memorial may be rejected. If so the draft order below is for approval. H M (Edn) may see before issue

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